

TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 11758/232
Serial No. 10,000,839	Filing Date January 14, 2004	Examiner John Bastianelli	Group Art Unit 3751
Inventor(s) George J. Jost et al.			
Title of Invention Automatic Proximity Faucet with Override Control System and Method			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in duplicate), Amendment and Election with Traverse, and Return Postcard.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for a _____ month extension of time.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
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x 42 =	
+ \$140 =	
Total add'l fee	\$

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Respectfully submitted,


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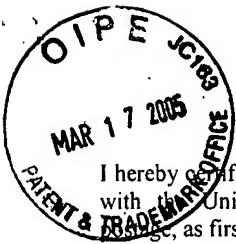
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In re Application of: Jost et al.

Serial No. 10/757,839

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WITH OVERRIDE CONTROL
SYSTEM AND METHOD

Examiner John Bastianelli

Group Art Unit No. 3751

AMENDMENT AND ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 28, 2005, Applicant has timely filed this Amendment and Election with Traverse by Certificate of Mailing. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner withdraw the restriction and examine all the pending claims of this application in view of the following remarks and amended claims. If the Examiner does not withdraw the restriction, Applicant respectfully elects Claims 1-17, drawn to an apparatus.